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FRIDAY.....SEPTEMBER 8, 1876.

WEATHER REPORT.

PROBABILITIES TO-DAY .- Washington, September 7.- In the South Atlantic States, falling barometer, southerly winds, partly MISS P. A. PAYNE WILL OPEN A SCHOOL for BOYS and GIRLS at her residence, 123 west Duval street, on MONDAY, September 11th; and at the same time and place she will open a NIGHT SCHOOL for YOUNG MEN. se 8-4t\* cloudy weather, and local rains will prevail with slight changes in temperature. For the Middle States, slight changes in pressure and temperature, cloudy and posibly rainy weather.

THE WEATHER YESTERDAY WAS partly cloudy and very was About I P. M. the mercury reached to atterwards it fell slowly. In the afternoon a heavy, black cloud hung over the northern portion of the city, which gave promise of a heavy rain; but it only gave a gust of wind and a plenty of dust. At night the weather was cooler and partly cloudy, with southeasterly winds.

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Personal.

Queen Isabella is going back to France. Lord John Russell has been a member of Parliament since 1813. Wendell Phillips has been stumping for

deneral Butler. Professor Huxley is in Nashville, Tenn., on a visit to his sister, Mrs. J. G. Scott. John Bright expects to visit this country n 1878, when he will lecture in the large

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 fined to the stage of a Brooklyn theatre, are the talk of all paroxysmal society. Commodore Vanderbilt is growing weaker daily, and yet a "relapse" is talked of.

An accomplished teacher of PAINTING and DRAW-The case is either peculiar or peculiarly refurther information apply for a circular to ported. Martin Farquhar Tupper, T. De Witt Talmage, Eli Perkins, and George Alfred A CADEMY OF THE VISITATION, Townsend, figure in the lecture-bureau list for the ensuing season.

Suit has been begun in the United States District Court in New York against Frank Leslie, the publisher, on a charge of irregularities in importing carriages, valued at \$6,000.

The situation of Abingdon is one of unrivalled beauty—2,071 feet above the level of the sea, and is recognized as one of the healthiest points in the United States. It is accessible by the Atlantic, Mississippi and Ohio railroad by four trains daily.

The object of the Sisters in opening this Academy in 1867 was to aid the people of the South by facilitating the means of educating their daughters. The terms were made to conform, as far as possible, to the condition of the people.

Every care is taken to promote the comfort and bealth of the pupils. Professor Huxley has accepted an invitaion from the trustees of the Johns Hopkins University to deliver an opening lecture on beath of the pupils.

The exercises of the Academy will be resumed on the FIRST MONDAY IN SEPTEMBER, under the charge of the Sisters of the Visitation, B. V. M.

TERMS: Board and tuition in all the English branches, fuel, lights, washing, and mending, per session of ten months, \$160. Payable per half session in advance. university education September 12th, in the Baltimore Academy of Music. Minister Pierrepont's explanation of the

Flint letter is that it was one of a number of scientific tests which he, "with several other gentlemen," applied in the way of an amateur investigation of spiritualism. Edwin Booth opened in Hamlet to a crowded house in the California Theatre,

San Francisco, on Monday night, and was enthusiastically received. The premium paid for the choice box for the opening performance was \$100. Mutual friends of Mr. Lathrop and Mr.

Hawthorne have examined the former's book with special reference to the papers of the elder Hawthorne which his son obected to have used. They have assured him that these papers were not used. My SCHOOL FOR BOYS will be opened on WED-NESDAY, September 13th, at Springfield Hall, cor-ner of Mand Twenty-sixth streets. The usual Eng-lish branches, with the Latin, Greek, and French languages, will be carefully taught. For circulars, apply at 2506 Marshall street. I would be glad to secure, also, a few pupils for in-struction in Music on Plano or Organ, the lessons to

Mr. Boutwell expresses his grief for the death of the two great Republicans of Massachusetts, Charles Sumner and Henry Wilson, but he does not say that these two men died abhorring the practices of the Radical party and execrated by its leaders. General de Cissey's retirement from the French Ministry of War is said to have been in consequence of a threatened scandal about the Minister and the wife of another military man known for his researches on The Man in the Iron Mask." By the way, wasn't de Cissy to marry an American

belle, Miss Willing, or Billing? Mr. Black, the English novelist, looks a WANTED, a GOOD, PLAIN COOK and HOUSE-CLEANER; a middle-aged woman without incumbrance preferred. Good recommendations required. Apply immediately at 1817 east Franklin street. good deal like what he was when he started on his career-a "sub" on a daily paper. He is a dark, slender, young, almost boyishooking man, with a quick movement and dark eyes that look capable of very keen observation, though they are concealed A GINIAN), having just returned from a two-years' residence in Europe, desires an engagement as GOVERNESS in a family. Higher English, Latin, mathematics, music on the piano, fluent French, and rudiments of German. Distinguished references. Address se 8-21\* Charlottesville, Va. somewhat by glasses; for, like so many literary men and journalists, he is near-sighted. Israel Washburn, Esq., died at his residence, in Livermore, Me., Friday morning,

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SE S-2t and fourteen days. His surviving children are ex-Governor Washburn, of Portland; Minister Washburn, at Paris: Cadwalader C. Washburn, late Minister to Paraguay; William D. Washburn, of Minnesota; Algernon S. Washburn, of Hallowell; Captain Samuel B. Washburn, of Livermore Mrs. Martha Stephenson, of Galena, and Mrs. Caroline A. Holmes. of Minneapolis. Miss Lucy Ann Mank, or Mink, of Lowell, like Lady Clara Vere de Vere, is "not one to be desired." Some time ago she killed a WANTED, a No. 1 HOUSEKEEPER Dr. Baker, who was her lover. The usual sympathy for murderous females having left sympathy for murderous females having left. her at large, on Thursday last she killed WANTED, a WHITE NURSE, well recommended. Apple of 1922 courts Charles Ricker, a young man who had been paying her attention in ignorance of her homicidal experience, but who was fastidious enough to object to her gory associa-W MEDIUM-SIZE FARM on James river, with good improvements, and especially for curing to-bacco. Address WILLIAM S. CATLETT, WILLIAM S. CATLETT, tions when he discovered them. It is to be hoped that her vagaries in this direction will be now stopped, for a while at least.

THE LAW OF INTER-STATE EXTRADITION .he general public, as well as to the legal profession, was rendered by Judge Westprook in the chambers of the Supreme Court Tuesday. The case adjudicated upon may be briefly stated as follows: Benjamin W. Briscoe was a member of a firm in Fulton a quantity of goods from New York merchants, as it would now appear, upon false pretences. Two of his creditors in this city had him arrested on warrants in civil suits to recover, granted by Judges Donohue and Westbrook respectively. Meantime Briscoe fraudulent conversion of property entrusted to them by a Virginia firm to sell on commission. On requisition of the Governor of Georgia Governor Tilden granted a warrant of extradition, and the sheriff of Fulton county had the prisoner brought be-WANTED, by a FARMER of long experience, a SITUATION AS MANAGER on a large farm. Satisfactory reference will be given. Address A. G., Etna Mills post-office, King William county, or call on Camain A. G. HUDGINS, 1009 Main street, for particulars. au 31-codet fore Judge Westbrook on habeas corpus, to BOARDERS WANTED.—Mrs. Joseph Shall, has a delightful seeand-story front room (and dressing-room adjoining) over parlor; also, a large, greasant room on the first floor, which she would like to have occupied by REGULAR BOARDERS.

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Authorities, his monor concludes as follows:

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The Speaker of the House of Commons. cond, Briscoe being detained under the laws of this State, cannot be discharged until the demands of these laws have been fully satisfied and discharged. The writ of habeas corpus is dismissed and the prigoner remanded to the custody of the sheriff."-New

> West through Baltimore was in increased volume Wednesday. The railroad trains and steam vessels all added to the crowds. The trains over the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore railroad were so large that division into sections was necessary. General McCulloch, of the Pennsylvania Central railroad, made the run from Albany to Syracuse, over the New York Central railroad, in a special train on Monday, in two hours and a half. The distance is about 160 miles.

York Herald.

History of Tobacco. A new history of tobacco and its associa-

of which we glean some interesting facts. Tobacco, it seems, was not introduced into Europe until 1560. Jean Nicot, Lord of Villemain, Master of the Requests of the French King's household, and Ambassador to the Portuguese Court, purchased while at Lisbon some tobacco seed from a Flemish merchant, who had abtained it in Florida. ind on his return to France, in 1561, he presented to Catharine de Medicis a few of the plants obtained from this seed. England did not learn the use of tobacco until four or five years later, and it seems doubtful Walter Raleigh of introducing it to his gressmen Sener and Stowell objected. countrymen is well deserved. The first English smoker appears to have been Ralph Lane, who was sent out by Raleigh as Governor of Virginia, and returned to England

Mr. Fairholt, the author of the book w have referred to, does not attempt to settle the vexed question as to the evil or beneficial effect of tobacco upon the constitution. He records, however, the historical fact that the smokers are winning the day, district. and having passed through persecution are now becoming aggressive. The use of tobacco is spreading rather than decreasing. It is a curious fact, by the way, that those inveterate smokers, the Turks and Persians, at first declared smoking to be a sin against their holy religion, and, to render the custom ridiculous, a Turk who had been found smoking was conducted through the streets of Constantinople with a pipe transfixed through his nose. The traveller Sandys saw an unfortunate so treated in the rear 1610.

Of course Mr. Fairholt gives us the names of the celebrated men who have recorded their liking or distaste for tobacco. The numbers are very equally divided. Among the haters of the weed are included James ., Louis XIV., Taylor the water-poet, Penn the Quaker, Cowper, Goethe, Balzac, and Dumas. Among the lovers figure promiently Frederick I. of Prussia, Hobbes of Malmesbury, Dean, Aldrich, Sir Isaac Newton, Dr. Parr, Robert Hall, Charles Lamb, Scott, Campbell, and Byron. To these last may be added Bulwer Lytton, if his wellknown apostrophe to tobacco in "What Will He Do With it?" is to be taken as indicative of his personal opinion.

The largest pipe in existence is the kiln prepared at the docks for the burning of damaged tobacco, which goes by the name of "Her Majesty's tobacco pipe." Between t and the dainty cigarette of the French or Spanish dandy are ranged an infinite variety of smoking apparatus. The Spaniards have a proverb that "a paper cigarette, a glass of fresh water, and the kiss of a pretty girl, will sustain a man for a day without eating." On the other hand, some of the German pipes will contain an ounce of to-

bacco at a time. Upon the subject of chewing and snufftaking, Mr. Fairholt is as full, but hardly as entertaining. All the property of the weed is certainly monopolized by the smoker. In the dedication of the book the author says that his first remembrances are of father's tobacco-warehouse, where he used to roll in the tobacco leaf as country children in a hay-field, and to play at hide and seek in the empty barrels. He possesses, therefore, unusual qualifications for the office of historiographer of tobacco, and he office of historiographer of tobacco, and he schalft. A most excellent dinner was set seems to have produced a very entertaining out and heartily partaken of by all present.

A Model. Sheriff .- At the coroner's inquest over Walker's body the sheriff of Saem county, N. J., was a witness. His testimony is somewhat unique. He said: "A messenger came to my house on

Thursday morning and told me that a prize light was about to take place at Perinsville. I hitched my horse and driv for the place; saw a lot of men there, near to a large tree I notified a lot of Jerseymen that they might be wanted, and then I placed myself on a large stool and looked at them for a little while; and then, says I, 'Gentlemen, by the authority vested in me by the State of New Jersey as sheriff of the county of Salem, I command you, prize-fighters, to git out of here;' they said, 'Oh, my,' and pull down your vest,' which I didn't do. The most of them, though, ran away; I afterwards went to the wharf and locked the Creedmoor cutter, but they came down and took her away; I forbid them doing it, but they didn't seem to care what I said; they struck me with a piece of Bologna sausage on the nose, and fired a porter bottle at my head; I saw no canteleups or watermelons in the air: I attempted the arrest of one man, but he got away from me; he was the fellow that carried the belts and sponges; no one

ABOUT LETTER-WRITING .- Frequent accidents in transmitting the mails show the necessity of observing certain rules in letterwriting. As stated elsewhere, about one hundred and fifty letters, many of them containing money, drafts, postal orders, &c., rom the wrecked train near Harper's Ferry, were sent to the dead-letter office, with a view to putting the writers or persons addressed in possession of their prop- ton's place, but was put to flight by the aperty. This cannot be done in many cases, because the envelopes are missing and the body of the letters contain no clue either to the writers or the persons bed, and the citizens are preparing themfor whom they are intended. In some cases the name of the post-office is omitted, convicts have, it is said, settled in that porand simply the date given, while the signature is simply "Charley," or "William," or "Susan," as the case may be. In a very large number of cases the name and address of the party for whom the letter is intended decision of considerable interest to are not contained in the body of the letter, and in consequence it must be returned to and banquet on board the steamer W. H. the writer. The third Assistant-Postmaster- Stokely on yesterday. Their enjoyment fully one-half cannot be returned to the wri- ent. It seems that our Philadelphia friends ters or persons addressed, because the let- of the quill know more about our city officounty, Ga. He came North and obtained ters themselves do not contain any clue to cials than we do. Witness the following the names of the places from which they are paragraph from the Philadelphia Press of sent, the names of the writers, or those of | the 6th instant : the parties addressed.

Herr von der Seeden, once a Prussian official, has received the first formal permission | Maccubbin, Chief of the Creek Nation, arand his partners were indicted by the grand for fire burial. The bodies of his two chiljury of Fulton county, Ga., for a dren are to be subjected to incremation and the ashes sent to their parents. The question of cremation is said to have made decided progress among the educated classes of Germany.

The exploring of the coast of New Guinea by Rev. J. Macfarlane, of the London Missionary Society, has brought to light a native town of 2,000 inhabitants of a remarkable degree of civilization, living in wellbuilt houses, with fine gardens and clean-

like Ferry, is said to be dissatisfied with the press reports of its proceedings, so that these will be reported by an official stenographer hereafter. Mr. John B. Gough is the owner of four large volumes, in which are written the sig-

The rush of travellers from the South and | the pledge of temperance at his hands. dogging the footsteps of a French officer and singing "The German Rhine."

Cleared yesterday at the custom-house for Robinson's canvas."

Robinson's canvas."

Hoboken's tallest girl is six feet two.

LOCAL MATTERS.

tions has just been published, from a review REMOVAL OF COLLECTOR OTIS H. RUSSELL. The telegraph yesterday morning informed us of the removal of Otis H. Russell, the collector for this district, and the appointment of E. E. White to supersede him. On inquiry it has been ascertained that Russell received information of his removal yesterday morning, no cause being assigned therefor. The day before the Lynchburg Convention assembled he was discharged from his office, but on the application of Bristow and Commissioner Pratt be was retained. To the last order of removal Secretary Morrill, Commissioner Raum, Con-

Mr. Russell has been in office three or four years, and during the time he has handled \$22,000,000. His office is in perfect condition to turn over at any time Mr. White calls and demands it.

It is stated that the leading tobacco-men in this city as well as all other trades are opposed to the removal of Mr. Russell, and will sign a petition for his being retained, as will also Dr. Mills, the nominee of the Republican party for Congress from this

The employes of Mr. Russell were all of different opinion as to who should be the nominee for the presidency at the Convention at Cincinnati. To this he did not object; nor did he discharge a man. On the contrary, he told them to use their own discretion. Russell has been beheaded by the authorities at Washington for supporting Blaine.

Mr. E. E. White, who supersedes Mr. Russell, is a New Yorker, and his security, it is stated, is all made up in that place, not dollar coming from the State of Virginia.

THE SCHUETZEN-FEST .- The third annual shooting-match of the Richmond Schuetzen Geselschalft took place yestetday afternoon at the grounds of the Association near the James River Brewery. The match was private, and only members of the Association and their friends were allowed to enter the grounds. A very pleasant company gathered and a most delightful day was enjoyed by all present. A notable fact of the occasion was the presence of many of the wives of the members of the Association. This proved most agreeable to all present.

The shooting commenced in the afternoon and occasioned much excitement as the scores were announced. In the shooting-house where Voelker's band was stationed there was hardly standing-room for the spectators. The music of the band was interspersed with the music of the rifles with their accompanying bullet-whistle, and the scene was altogether a lively one. The shooting was excellent throughout.

Five shots were allowed to each marksman, and twenty-five was the highest that could be made at any one shot. We give the score for the four best shots: W. H. Zimmerman-22, 21, 16, 19, 19-97. John D. Snelling-16, 16, 22, 15, 24-93.

William Euker-20, 12, 17, 17, 20-86. J. J. White-20, 11, 19, 18, 16-84. The rivalry was spirited and zealous. Mr. Euker fired off-hand in preferenc to at a rest. Although the four highest scores only are given, yet all the rest are good, and had we room we would publish them all. After the shooting was over the company assembled under the pavilion, where the company were entertained by the Gesel-

Remarks were made by Messrs. Rick, Klein, Zimmerman, Wise, and Justice White. The press were separately regaled under Mr. Richter, who proved himself a bounteous and hospitable entertainer. Mr. Zimmerman, who has for the second

time been crowned as king, had presented to him a handsome crown of flowers. He also wore the Society's chain bearing the medals won in former contests. When a member wins a gold medal and is crowned king he has a fac-simile of the medal made in silver and hangs it on the chain. He keeps the gold medal as a souvenir. The medal presented on yesterday was made by Mr. Spott, and was the most beautiful yet offered for competition. Mr. Zimmerman bore off his accumulated honors most gracefully. The remarks made were all well timed, the company present was congenial, the music was good, and after a most happy day of enjoyment the company separated wishing that the Geselschalft would shoot every day.

ROBBERIES AND DEPREDATIONS COMPLAIN-ED OF IN THE COUNTY .- Depredations are reported to be frequent in the neighborhood of the First locks, Moran's Store, Harvietown, and Sidney. The store of Mr. William M. Leidley was broken open and was shot on my side, but one man had a robbed of a lot of dry goods and groceries a bullet go through the leg of his panties; I | short while back. Most of the goods have leaned up against a pork barrel, and they since been found near Ritchie's bridge, and riddled it with bullets; I fired two shots at a tramp by the name of Henry Clark was arrested. He was taken before Justice J. N. Hopkins, but as no testimony was adduced he was discharged.

The house of Mr. Anderson, on the Plank road, has recently been broken open. Charles T. Allen's horse was lately near being captured by a negro while the animal was grazing in a field, but Mr. Allen put in a timely appearance and saved him. In the day-time some one walked into the

house of Mr. Conway, at Colonel Carringpearance of one of the ladies of the house The hen-roosts of Mrs. Lindsey and others in the neighborhood have been robselves for defence. Several ex-penitentiary

OUR COUNCILMEN IN PHILADELPHIA.-A special telegram from Philadelphia tells us that our councilmen had a grand excursion General is of the opinion that of the 13,000 was unbounded, and the occasion was one letters received at the dead-letter office daily | which will ever be remembered by all pres-"Mayor John P. Higgins and the coun-

cilmen of Richmond, Va., accompanied by ex-Governor Walker, of Virginia, and Sam. rived in this city yesterday afternoon and registered at the Girard Hotel. A conference of the municipal authorities of this city was fice for the purpose of making arrangements for the reception of the visitors."

DROWNED .- It was reported last night that Captain Gager, of the tug Edith, fell overboard into the river near the old Baltimore sheds, last evening and was drowned. His body was recovered.

NARROW ESCAPE .- On Wednesday evening about 8 o'clock Mr. Daniel Denoon acreason of the timely assistance rendered by

PERSONAL.-Justice John J. Crutchfield left on Wednesday for a ten days' visit to the Centennial. Hon. William E. Tanner has gone to the

North and West on a pleasure trip. Rev. J. Z. Tyler, of this city, was in Norfolk yesterday. The condition of General Henry A. Wise natures of 140,000 persons who have taken was more unfavorable last night.

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Wise, and the report of the assignee, and save time de money is here, an' dis nigger the assignee directed to set apart to the bankrupt as an exemption under the poor debtor's and homestead law all the personal property not covered by liens, amounting to \$1,284.86. The equity of redemption of

ttorney 875. In the matter of S. J. Smith. The asbankrupt's real estate.

In the matter of F. J. Mettauer. The ashands to Stratton & Anderson, and there-In the matter of John C. Carr. The petition of James M. Cloyd was dismissed, and porter as follows: the assignee ordered to make conveyance of any person he may direct.

him to his rights in the State courts.

In the matter of John A. Ponton. Order Byrd Island to Richmond is by way of Manthe funds in bank on account of his exemp- one might cross over the Seventh-Street

A discharge in bankruptcy was issued to Robert Armistead, of Richmond city.

J. White:

each.

turbance in the house of Amelia Peterson, taken the Manchester route." was discharged. Absalom Allen (colored), charged with

was discharged. Louisa Carter (colored), trespassing on the premises of Emanuel Raymond; and both sides was heard, Judge Hunter Mar-Raymond was charged with assaulting Lou-

isa. Both parties were discharged.

THE COLORED TILDEN CLUBS .- The olored Conservatives held a meeting last night and organized a Colored Conservative | livered. State Political Union. The following officers were elected: President, Rev. J. W. Dungee; First Vice-President, A. Hall; Second Vice-President, W. H. Bass, West Point; Third Vice-President, Hon. John Chissell; Fourth Vice-President, Walker Howard; Fifth Vice-President, Rev. W. H. Pinn; Secretary, W. H. L. Combs; Assistant Secretary, Giles B. Jackson, Henrico; Treasurer, Joseph Lewis; Sergeants-at-Arms, H. H. Page and Henry Coleman. Richmond, Henrico, Petersburg, and other places were represented. The State Executive Committee will be appointed at the next meeting.

A large number of active and intelligent colored men were represented in the Union. Reports read show that the colored people are opening their eyes and will vote for their friends. The Association decided to meet weekly. W. H. L. Combs and G. B. Jackson will

be at the rooms. No. 81 from 10 A. M. to 10 P. M. Papers and tracts will be on hand free. This organization will organize clubs all over the State. THE CIRCUS To-DAY .- Old John Robin-

son's "Big Show" arrived in Richmond via the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad yesterday evening. The mammoth canvass has been erected, and to-day will be a gala day for the people who attend. Robinson has time and again visited this city, and has added fresh laurels to his well-

earned reputation on the occasion of each The show has been improved, it is stated, since its last visit here. Many new animals have been added to the menageric department, which renders it very attractive and worthy of being seen. A reduction in the price of admission has been made in order

that all may have a chance to see the show. The grand street-pageant will take place this morning, the route of which was published vesterday. It will doubtless be an imposing spectacle and well worth seeing. The first entertainment will take place at 1 P. M. MATCH GAME .- A match game of baseball was played at Glen Allen on Wednesday evening between the Eagles, of Glen Allen, and the Alerts, of Richmond, resulting in favor of the Alerts by a score of 27

to 20. The nines were composed of the following players : Alerts-B. Farmer, pitcher; Powell, catcher; B. Gilman, short stop; W. Orange, captain and first base; E. Thacker, second base; T. Ligon, third base; E. Glinn, left field; W. B. Hooker, centre field; P. Latouche, right field Eagles-L. L. Dearborn, catcher; T. Fox, pitcher; H. Walker, short stop; S. Gayle, first base; E. Bernard, second base; J. Sheppard, third base; C. Willis, left field; E. Shepperd, centre field; -- Sutton,

CONVICT RECEIVED .- The sheriff of Isle f Wight county delivered at the penitentiary yesterday Madison Brown alias Toby Ledge, to be imprisoned one year for housebreaking and larceny. COLONEL CUTSHAW ROBBED .- During

Colonel Cutshaw's visit to Philadelphia a few days ago his pocket was picked of about

Nor Sold.-The Clover Hill mining and railroad property was not sold yesterday. The highest bid for the mining property

was \$30,500. Which, Basin Street or Water Street?

RICHMOND, September 7, 1876. Editors Dispatch: I have heard the name of Water street" applied to the improvement now going on upon what has been known since the Basin was made as "Basin bank." I would suggest the name of "Basin street" as the one most applicable, because it at once designates the locality, while Water street would be appropriate to anything along the river from Hollywood to Rocketts. held vesterday morning in the Mayor's of Numbers of persons in the city not interested doubtless are unaware that any improvement is going on here, and they, as multitudes in the country, would be at a loss to know-where Water street is should they see the advertisement of a business firm or any allusion to the street at all. As I wish to advertise some myself about this time I have a special reason for knowing whether the name is established. Some seem to be a little prejudiced to the name of Basin in any way, but I find nothing offen-Fifth street, but escaped being drowned by locality which will lead one to the point de-

MANCHESTER NEWS.

A Manchester rag-broker on yesterday seemed much disturbed upon the prospects of his not being able to go to the circus. He travelled around from daybreak until sundown, and when asked why he was so industrious he replied: "Well, de fact is dis boss: I wants to git money nuff to go to de succus."

In Paris a Polish gentleman has been sen-tenced to three months' imprisonment for brig Henry Trowbridge, Captain Thomas, brokerage business will be requisite to "Old man, a week's earnings in the rag-

Singing "The German Rhine,"

M. Offenbach's adventures in the United States will be entitled "Offenbach in America—Notes of a Travelling Musician."

The young ladies in the interior of Florida eat alligator steaks. It improves their complexion.

Hoboken's tallest girl is six feet two.

Bahla, Brazil, with a cargo of nour shipped by the Gallego Mills Company.

EXAMINATION OF PUPILS FOR ADMISSION TO THE HIGH-SCHOOL.—The public schools will be opened on Friday next, 15th instant. On the opened on Friday

THE DISPATCH

TERMS OF ADVERTISING CASH—NVARIABLY IS ADVANCE.
THE SQUARE, TWO INSERTIONS.
THE SQUARE, SPICE INSERTIONS.

United States District Court-Judge and a half to foller de ban' and de clephs Hughes.—In the matter of G. H. Dillard. and in de course ob dat time I kin m Order continuing the hearing until the 3d bout seven cents. Now, I got to make five of October next.

In the matter of Charles H. Balmer. Or- sion, and dat what make me say what I do der entered approving the report of ap- say: I got to make money! It take time praisers, the report of Special Commissioner to do dat. Ef I git up in de mornin an'

The Basin Bridge.-This subject is one of great interest to our citizens, and is exciting much comment on all sides. Free the bankrupt in his real estate was ordered communication between the two cities is a to be sold to Thomas Dunnell for \$25. The great desideratum, and there is no better assignee was allowed a fee of \$75, and his way of bringing it about than by the building of the bridge over the basin. It is not only a source of inconvenience to our citisignee was ordered to show cause on the 3d | zens, but to those of a considerable portion of October why he should not be ordered of Richmond, that they have to go about a to make a deed to the purchaser of the mile and a half out of the way to travel between the two cities-that is, unless they are willing to pay toll, and this they cer signee was directed to pay the balance in his tainly seem to be, if one may judge by the bands to Stratton & Anderson, and there numbers who cross that thoroughfare upon it was ordered that he be discharged. Mayo's bridge every evening. A Byrd Island correspondent has written your re-

"Permit a grateful Byrd Islander to thank the land purchased by Stafford to him or to you for the sensible suggestion in your Manchester items of the 6th as to bridgin In the matter of B. Becher. Order dis- the basin. The isolation and neglect of missing petition of bankrupt and remitting Byrd Island is simply shameful. At present the most practicable way of getting from entered allowing the bankrupt \$100 out of chester, over Mayo's bridge. It is true that bridge, notwithstanding its inconvenience, if it was kept in order-which it is not, as the bruised limbs of the writer attest, he having broken through its rotten timbers POLICE COURT.—The following cases were some two weeks ago, in the night-time. lisposed of yesterday morning by Justice This pretended bridge is a delusion and a snare. A superficial observer might think Walter Hatcher and Warrenton Ford it possible to get to Richmond by way of colored), charged with fighting in a house the Gallego Mills, but if he undertook the near Brook avenue. They were fined \$2 descent of the precipitous hill at this point when it was covered with snow or sleet he Annie E. Kelly (colored), creating a dis- would find himself wishing that he had

The Danville Railroad Case, as to the abusing and assaulting Cornelius Harris, right of the company to run its tracks over the streets of the city, was heard before shall representing the railroad company and H. W. Bransford, city attorney, representing Manchester, and the case was adjourned until Saturday at 9 o'clock, at which time an opinion will in all probability be de-

Fifty-five-dollar gentleman's eighteen carat stemwinder at WINSTOCK'S.

Twenty-five-dollar solid gold opera chain at WIN ATTENTION is called to the two new brick dwell ings advertised by Chaffin, Staples & Co.

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ditious manner. · AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

AT On all sales of Real Estate made between the 1st of January and last of June the taxes for the present year have to be paid by the purchaser. On all sales made between the 1st of July and last of the year the taxes have to be paid by the seller [This custom was adopted about fifteen years age by all the real estate agents in Richmond, and applies to Richmond and vicinity.]

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